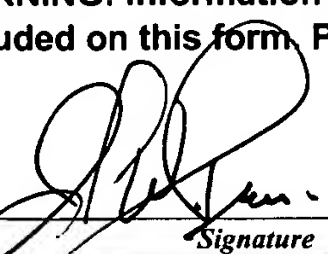
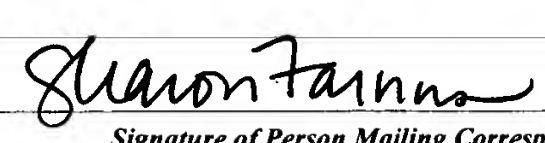
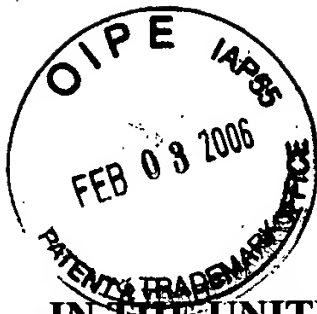


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Invention. PANEL DISPLAY APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR DRIVING A GAS DISCHARGE PANEL						
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In response to the Office Action of November 1, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows: